

**MINUTES FOR THE REGULAR MEETING  
OF THE LA MIRADA YOUTH COUNCIL  
MARCH 30, 2016**

**CALL TO ORDER**                      The regular meeting of the La Mirada Youth Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Vice Chairman Sologuren at the La Mirada Resource Center, 13710 La Mirada Boulevard, La Mirada, California 90638.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**            The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

**ROLL CALL**            Present:      Karis Chun – Member-At-Large  
   Fabian Lee – Member-At-Large  
   David Ramirez – Member  
   Michael Salazar – Member-At-Large  
   Karim Sologuren – Vice Chairman

   Tardy:        Adriana Perez – Member

   Absent:       Michael Caplan – Alternate  
   Noemi Muñoz – Alternate  
   Meghan Miller – Chairman

   Staff:         Joshua A. Gire, Community Services Coordinator  
   Jorge Orozco, Administrative Intern

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**1. MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF FEBRUARY 24, 2016**

Member Salazar moved and Vice Chairman Sologuren seconded to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of February 24, 2016.

**MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL VOTE:**

**AYES:**            Members Chun, Lee, Ramirez, Salazar, Vice Chairman Sologuren  
**NOES:**            None  
**ABSENT:**       Alternates Caplan, Muñoz, Member Perez, Chairman Miller  
**ABSTAIN:**      None

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**2. "LOVE A TREE" POSTER CONTEST**

Administrative Intern Orozco presented a report on the "Love A Tree" Poster Contest. Mr. Orozco suggested the Youth Council assist the Community Services Commission in picking the winners of the contest.

Member Perez arrived to the meeting.

### **3. EASTER EGG HUNT**

Administrative Intern Orozco presented a report on the Easter Egg Hunt.

Members discussed the "La Mirada Explorers" portion of the event. Member Ramirez said that he noticed a big crowd and thought the kids enjoyed searching for the insects.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **4. MEMORIAL DAY EVENT**

Administrative Intern Orozco presented a report on the Memorial Day event.

Members of the Youth Council were invited to attend the event taking place Monday, May 30, at Olive Lawn Memorial.

#### **5. FATHER AND SON CAMPOUT**

Community Services Coordinator Gire presented a report on the Father and Son Campout.

Members discussed the event and suggested the event take place Friday, August 12 through Saturday, August 13 at Neff Park.

#### **6. SOCIAL MEDIA TASK FORCE**

Administrative Intern Orozco presented a report on a Social Media Task Force the Community Services Department would like to implement along with the Communications Department. Items discussed were: Establishing content managers and content contributors as well as creating content calendars.

Administrative Intern Orozco and Community Services Coordinator Gire established an outline to generate more likes and followers for Twitter, Instagram and Facebook.

Members were asked to help with social media during events, including helping to establish hashtags and ensuring posts are relevant to teenaged users.

Member Ramirez suggested the City's social media posts relate to mainstream culture, to maintain "likes."

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**

None

**YOUTH COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

All members reported that Spring Break was going well.


**STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Administrative Intern Orozco presented a report on the Love La Mirada event taking place on April 30 and announced that the Youth Council will be planting a tree in honor of Arbor Day at the event.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:27 p.m.

Submitted:



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Jorge Orozco,  
Administrative Intern

Attest:



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Karim Sologuren,  
Vice Chairman